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A TERRIBLE REVENGE.

THE HOUSE OF A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY BLOWN UP.

His Children Badly Injured—The Deed Supposed to be the Work of Liquor Dealers Against Whom the Victim Waged War—General News.

BERLIN FALLS, N. H., Oct. 21.—The home of public prosecutor J. E. Bonnette was wrenched from top to bottom by dynamite this morning. Mr. Bonnette and his wife and two children were badly hurt, but were able to leave the building and reach their neighbors through a drenching rain. Investigation showed that some one had waited until the family retired, and had then taken a large dynamite bomb and attached a thirty foot fuse to it and strung it up the side of the building, with the end near a window of a room in which the children were sleeping, and then lighted the fuse and fled. The bomb exploded with terrible force. Mrs. Bonnette was thrown out of bed to the further end of the room. The children were thrown entirely out of bed and severely injured. Physicians, however, hope to save their lives. Bonnette has been very active in waging war against the liquor dealers. A heavy reward has been offered for the apprehension of the villians.

A Family Horror.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 21.—Henry Krone, living near here, shot his wife in the presence of their children, and then blew his own brains out.

Boiler Burst.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 21.—The boiler of a small shifting engine at the Eleza furnace burst to-day. Three men were killed and two injured.

Big Fire.

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 21.—The works of the Cincinnati Dessicating Company, manufacturers of fertilizers at Gilead station, west of this city, was burned yesterday. Loss $31,000.

The Doctors Killed Him.

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 21.—The case of John Evans for the killing of David R. Davis in this city on July 14, has at last resulted in a verdict of acquittal. Evans is a mining man of good repute, and is an invalid. Davis was a big, burly fellow. The stabbing affray grew out of a loan of $5, which Davis demanded of Evans. On being refused he struck Evans and knocked him down, whereupon Evans drew a knife and stabbed his assailant in the bowels. Davis' wound was not considered dangerous by three physicians who attended the wounded man, but peritonitis set in and he died ten days after the cutting. The defense was that the doctors killed Davis.

Railroad Man Drowned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 21.—Andrew Sullivan, manager of Haggin and Levis Jersey track, was drowned this morning while coming down from Stockton. He was a passenger on the steamer J. D. Peters, and while intoxicated is said to have walked overboard. He had made the trip to Stockton to engage an engineer. The body has not been recovered. Sullivan was about 60 years of age.

Wealthy Furrier Dead.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—John Ruszits, the wealthiest furrier in America, died on Saturday night at his farm at St. James, Long Island. Mr. Ruszits was born at Baya, Hungary, about eighty years ago. He learned the trade of furrier. When he was 35 years old he had accumulated $20,000, with which he came to this city. In the trade it was said that he was not especially marked as a shrewd salesman, but that he made his house and name great by absolutely straightforward dealings. Mr. Ruszits' estate is estimated at between $5,000,000 and $6,000,000.

Baby Beckwith Engaged to an Aristocrat.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Private information, received from abroad, announces the engagement of Miss Helen Beckwith, daughter of the late Nelson M. Beckwith, of this city, to Francis Dudley Leigh, the eldest son of Lord Leigh, of Leighstone Abby, who was born in July, 1855, and whose brother met a cruel death by falling into a deep canyon in Colorado several years ago. His mother is a sister of the Duke of Westminster. Miss Beckwith is at present living with Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin, at their place in the Scotch Highlands. She is an heiress, having been left over $150,000 by her father, who died several years ago, and whose home was at 75 Fifth Avenue. Miss Beckwith has for years been known in New York society as "Baby Beckwith." She is about 43 years old. The marriage will be celebrated in London on November 3rd.

Justice Miller's Widow.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—The Star's Washington special says: A somewhat painful question presented itself in connection with the death of the late Associate Justice Miller, as to what will become of his widow. She has no son to support her. There are two married daughters, one widowed, and herself without means of support. It is stated as a positive fact by those in a position to know, that the wife of the great jurist, Abraham Lincoln's friend, will either have to keep a boarding house, or rent or sell her homestead to make a living. Justice Miller left no other property of any amount except his house on Massachusetts avenue. Justice Miller stated to a correspondent, some time ago, in a friendly and half-jocular conversation, that by simply disclosing a few court secrets to some confidential agent, he could have realized millions. At the time he made this remark he was carrying on his keen book, locked with a patent lock, to which he had the key. This book is said to contain the views of the court on leading questions before him then, so far as they had discussed them. Among the cases then pending was the Bell telephone case. This was mentioned in conversation, and Justice Miller remarked that no opinion had as yet been prepared in the matter and none would probably be rendered until the court again met after recess, which meant a delay of several months, but the views contained in his locked book indicated what decision the court would probably give. For instance, he said, that of three cases, which he specified. The family of the late Chief Justice Waite, and the family of Justice Woods are far from wealthy. It is growing to be a grave question whether the foremost nation will permit its Supreme Judges' widows to become boarding-house keepers on the death of the head of the family, or whether they will raise the salary or provide for the contingency sufficiently to remove this national humiliation.

Willie Sprague's Funeral.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Oct. 21.—The body of Willie Sprague has arrived at Canonchet from Seattle, and the funeral will take place at St. Peter's-by-the-Sea, Narragansett pier, to-morrow. The body will be laid away in the family vault at Swan Point, on the shore of the Seekonk. Ex-Governor Sprague has requested that the members of the Southern R.I Press Club, of which his son was a member, act as pall bearers. The request will be complied with.

Triumph of Modern Science.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.—Modern surgery achieved a notable triumph at the Philadelphia hospital when a Cæsarian operation was performed by Dr. William Ashton, obstretrician at the institution, yesterday. The patient was a young colored woman of robust health. Both child and mother were saved, and both are expected to recover. Dr. Ashton was assisted by Professor Hirst, obstretrician of the University of Pennsylvania, Professor Montgomery, gynæcologist at the Medico-Chirurgical College, Miss Smith, chief nurse of the Philadelphia hospital, and her aides, Miss McClevy and Miss Burkheimer. Dr. Ashton finished the operation in the remarkably short time of 21 minutes and 30 seconds. The child, a female, has been placed in an incubator, a curious contrivance resembling very much in appearance a child's ordinary bath tub. It is of tin, made with a section on each side for holding hot water, and a compartment in the middle for the child. A uniform temperature of 100 degrees is maintained in the compartment.

The So-Called Messiah.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Oct. 21.—Before the grand jury adjourned it made the following report concerning Schweinfurth, his angels and his disciples: "We, the grand jury, would respectfully report to your honor that at the suggestion of the state's attorney in his charge to us, and upon the formal complaint of one of our body, we have made a thorough investigation of the alleged immoral practices of the George Jacob Schweinfurth and his followers, who live at the Weldon farm, in the town of Winnebago, this county. That we have taken the testimony of all persons whom we had reasons to believe would be cognizant of any facts in the case, including nearly all of those who live on the Weldon farm and their nearest neighbors, and that we find absolutely no proof whatever on which to base any criminal prosecution with the exception of the fact of the birth of one illegitimate child, whose paternity cannot be ascertained, the mother, Mary Weldon, making a preposterous claim in relation thereto. No fact has come to our knowledge that in any manner bears against any of these people so far as the morality of their lives is concerned."

Shouldn't Assault Them.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Mayor Gleason, of Long Island City, was to-day sentenced to imprisonment for five days and fined $250 for assaulting Geo. R. Crowley, a reporter, a few weeks ago.

Articles Signed.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—Jack Dempsey has signed articles of agreement to fight Bob Fitzsimmons for a purse and the middle weight championship of the world before the Olympic Club about the middle of December.

Family and Crew Drowned.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.—A private cablegram from China received yesterday in this city stated that Captain Townes, his child and ten of the crew were drowned when his ship Lizzie C. Troop went ashore on the Loo Choo Islands while bound from Philadelphia for Puget Sound.

An Empty Jail.

VINCENNES, Ind., Oct. 21.—All prisoners in the jail here decamped on Saturday night through the air closet.

Homicide and Suicide.

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 21.—Le Blanch, a Frenchman, shot and killed a notorious sporting woman yesterday, and then killed himself in the room in an hotel here yesterday.

SUICIDE CLUB ACTIVE.

How Its Members Peer Through the Curtain of the Beyond.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 21.—Another member of the suicide club has carried out the edict of that society. This time it is Emil Ziemske, who ended his life by taking cyanide of potash. Ziemske came from Ansonia and joined the club only nine months ago, when it was without a member other than its president and secretary. Early last spring William F. Maby, a United States letter carrier, killed himself, Wendell Baum shot himself and Joseph Kopp followed by hanging himself. All were members of the suicide club. These last three rolled up the suicides to nearly a score, and reduced the membership to the president and secretary, who are exempt from self-destruction. Ziemske, with three others, was then pledged to the secret order. A ballot resulted in aiding Ziemske to destroy himself before the next meeting, Saturday night, October 18, and Ziemske has fulfilled his vow.

Timely Warning.

Great and timely reason is shown by keeping Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry on hand. It has no equal for cholera, cholera morbus, diarrhœa, dysentery, colic, cramps, and all summer complaints incident to looseness of the bowels.

GEN. BOOTH'S SCHEME.

THE GREAT SALVATIONIST WHO PROPOSES TO RELIEVE THE POOR.

His Book "Darkest England" Favorably Received by People of all Classes—Volunteers to be Engaged to Find the Needy—Refuge Homes for Them.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The press comment with great length upon the plan outlined by Salvation Army General Booth, in his book, "Darkest England, and the way out of it," for the relief of the miserable poor of England. Opinion generally is favorably to a trial of the scheme. The least encouraging article on the subject is that of the Times, and even this is only mildly in opposition. Booth's book has made a profound sensation on all classes, and to many its revelation of the condition of affairs is unknown to them. No one can read the work without feeling an uncomfortable sense of impending disaster, and it is, perhaps, this which leads nearly every one to cry out to Gen Booth, in effect, "go ahead and try you plan, and we will do all we can to help you." The suggestion of the author in brief is the establishment of houses of refuge all over the kingdom, and the organization of volunteer bands to seek out and rescue the unfortunate and minister to their minds and bodies until employment is found for them. There are many ingenius details in the scheme, which could only have been devised by a man thoroughly experienced in the needs of the poor, and whose whole heart is in the cause.

Admiral Seymour Ashore.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—This morning Admiral Seymour and 240 officers and men who had visited town to attend a ball given in their honor by the Mayor, again unsuccessfully attempted to join their vessels, which on Saturday were compelled to put to sea in order to avoid being driven ashore. The storm was still prevailing, and after a determined effort to reach the war vessels the admiral and his companions were compelled to return to land.

Despite the Portuguese.

ZANZIBAR, Oct. 21.—Advices received by means of British vessels which have arrived from Zambesi river, state that British gunboats entered the river on October 8th despite the protests of the Portuguese authorities. In their company was a steamer belonging to the British African Lakes Company, which had in tow a flootillo of lighters and canoes laden with stores and munitions of war.

Denied.

LISBON, Oct. 21.—The government denies the statement published by the Commerce du Portugal, and emanating from a correspondent at Berne, that the United States is about to send a fleet of war ships upon a demand of payment of a claim for damage arising from the seizure of the Delagoa Bay railway.

Saran in New York.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Sarah Bernhardt will be in New York February 9th, in "Latosca," which will be followed by "Cleopatra."

Attempt on the Czar's Life.

WARSAW, Oct. 21.—The report of another attempt to kill his Imperial Majesty, while he was returning to St. Petersburg from the west of Russia, has not been contradicted. His Majesty stopped at the station of Poketcha, near Grodno, and a passenger fired at the Czar, but his aim was not true, and he failed in his attempt to slay the ruler of all the Russians.

The Sluggers' Counsel.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Sir Chas. Russell, Q.C., M.P., was to-day retained for the defense of Joe McAuliffe and Frank Slavin. His brief was marked four hundred guineas with a daily retainer of seventy-five guineas. Richard K. Fox and Lord Lonsdale have promised to pay all expenses that may be incurred at the trial, which will come on some time next month.

Doesn't Desire a Change.

VIENNA, Oct. 21.—The Czar has privately intimated to the Servian government that he has no desire for a change in the Servian dynasty. This is intended as a warning to intriguers in behalf of Prince Nicholas of Montenegro and Prince Karagorgevitch.

Regulated by Circumstances.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 21.—In consequence of the large importations of American cattle a royal decree has been issued ordering that the duration of quarantine be regulated entirely by circumstances. At present the period of quarantine is ten days.

The Republic Recognized.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Dom Pedro during his recent visit to England, assured the Queen that he had no intention of seeking restoration to the throne of Brazil and that the republic which has been established would be a permanent form of government. It was in consequence of these statements that the British Government determined to recognize the republic of Brazil and instructions were accordingly issued yesterday to the British Minister at Rio.

The Czar Shot at.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—La Evenant received advices from St. Petersburg that as the train in which the Czar was traveling on his return to St. Petersburg from a hunting trip in Poland, was passing Grodno, a shot was fired at it from the railway station.

The King of Belgium.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 20.—King Leopold of Belgium will visit Potsdam on Oct. 28, remaining four days as the guest of Emperor William.

Ambassador to the Khedive.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Sir Samuel Baker, the noted explorer and authority on African affairs, starts for Egypt on Wednesday, bearing Lord Salisbury's communication to advise the Khedive in regard to the best method of dealing with the rebellion and famine in the Soudan.

The Peace Pearl.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Henniker Heaton has just returned from his visit to the United States, and is now engaged in a draft of a letter to be sent to Lord Salisbury, embodying the results of his inquiries in the United States. The report states that [illegible] in favor of the adoption of the universal penny postage.

Mr. Gladstone at Edinburgh.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Gladstone's journey from Hawarden to Glasgow has been a triumphant tour. The popular demonstrations at every place where an opportunity to greet him was afforded, was so remarkable as to draw expressions of surprise from the Grand Old Man himself, accustomed as he is to crowds and applause. Much of this enthusiasm, no doubt, is evoked by admiration for Gladstone's personal qualities and desire to do homage to the great Englishman soon in the course of nature to pass away, yet the Liberals are confident that it also indicates an increased popularity of the political platform which their leader represents. Gladstone delivers his first address to-morrow. He speaks in the Corn Exchange, which will hold about 4000 people. The acoustic properties of the hall are defective, but it is hoped to remedy this by stretching large wires across the hall to break the echo.

BERNHARDT AS CLEOPATRA.

The New Play Follows Shakespeare in the Third Act Only.

PARIS, Oct. 21.—The first scene in Bernhardt's production of "Cleopatra" is a piece of rare loveliness, representing Antony's justice-house, with the marble quays of Tarsus and river Cydnus in the distance. The arrival of Antony and Cleopatra, and Antony's declaration of his passion occur in the first act. The scene for the second act represents a hall in Memphis, approached by an avenue from the sphinxes, descending to the Nile. The scene of revelry and daliance in this hall is broken up by the news of the death of Fulvia, and appeals to Antony to save Rome. The third act opens with a night scene on a terrace above Memphis on the Nile. The play here follows Shakespeare's lines closely. Cleopatra mourning her absent lover receives a letter bidding her to send a fleet.

In the fourth act, Cleopatra, who has arrived at the palace in Actium, overhears the love scene between Antony and Octavia. Cleopatra enters, Antony renounces her, and a passionate dialogue ensues between them, filled with mutual accusations of bad faith, but ending in a reconciliation. This is one of Bernhardt's greatest scenes in the play. The fifth act takes place at Alexandria in Cleopatra's chamber after the rout at Actium. Antony enters in a wretched state and accuses himself of cowardice. Cleopatra throws herself at his feet pleading for pardon. Soldiers burst furiously into the chamber clamoring for the death of the sorceress Cleopatra. She admits she is a magician. She displays the temple of Isis and sings a weird incantation to Typhon to disperse the vessels of Octavius. The immediate response is a fearful storm that shakes the palace foundations. The scene changes to another hall. Octavius enters and Antony, mortally wounded, falls at his feet, caressed by Cleopatra, who, her poison taking effect, asks to be dressed in her regalia in a bewildered speech, calling out to Antony that she follows him. She dies with a smile on her face. With the exception of the third act, the authors have struck an original line. The play provides Bernhardt with a splendid role. Its production has been fixed for Wednesday.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—Sarah Bernhardt will open in New York February, in "La Tosca," which will be followed by "Cleopatra."

BRAVE ENGINEER BURNS.

Stands at His Post and Saves the Lives of His Passengers.

ERIE, Pa, Oct. 21.—A horrible catastrophe was averted on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway, near Silver Creek, through the bravery and cool-headed conduct of the engineer. A detached section of the east-bound freight train had been run into by another section, and a portion of debris thrown over on the west-bound track just as No. 5, the fast train going west at a rate of fifty miles an hour, arrived. Engineer Burns, of the passenger train, saw the track ahead and then the freight car. He saw that an attempt to stop his train and jump would sacrifice the lives of his 150 passengers. His fireman had left him, but Engineer Burns resolved to stand by his engine. He put on all steam and opening his sand pipes, so as to get a firmer hold on the rails, threw the truck away and cut through the freight cars and other debris. Burns, with wonderful fortitude, held the lever, and in a moment he had cleared the obstruction, reversed the engine and threw on the air brakes as the train entered the wreck. The sides were torn out of the coaches, and the screams of women rose high above the screeching of steam. Although the engine was dismantled, brave Engineer Burns emerged from the debris alive, but covered with scars and bruises. Stout-hearted men embraced him hysterically, realizing his heroism had saved the train. But one passenger was seriously injured, Mrs. Mary Kane, of Denison, O., who may die. Joseph Meyers, of Cleveland was badly injured about the head, and probably a dozen others were painfully cut and bruised. Not a [illegible] in the train left the track. After people were quieted, C. M. Spitz, a Boston banker headed a list, and $400 was presented to Engineer Burns by the passengers.

An immense assortment of Art Squares, all sizes, by John Weiler, 51 to 57 [illegible]

Oysters delivered [illegible] city. Telephone No. [illegible] Bakery Young Bro[illegible] Government str[illegible]

See Jame[illegible] Christie's c[illegible] biscuits. [illegible] fresh gro[illegible]

WIVES FOR BACHELORS.

How a Washington Matrimonial Bureau Is Conducted.

A Lover's Agency That Supplies Needed Assistance to Cupid and Puts Unmarried Men in Danger—The System Fully Explained.

"I presume, sir, that your intentions are perfectly honorable," said the red-nosed man behind the big desk. "This bureau regards it as a part of its business to protect the innocent and trustful female customers from falling a prey to the wiles of conscienceless deceivers, whose pretensions to real manhood are exclusively expressed by a pair of pantaloons apiece."

The red-nosed man scowled virtuously as he uttered these words, and the Washington Star reporter noticed that the same formula precisely was reproduced at the bottom of the printed circular that had just been handed to him.

"I am tired of being a bachelor," he replied, simply, "and I have understood from your advertisement that your 'lovers' agency' is prepared to furnish wives to order."

"You are talking business. We have many very beautiful and accomplished young ladies at present on our books—short and tall, plump and thin, blonde and brunette—all blessings waiting to be appropriated by the lucky fellows."

"And you will introduce me to some of them?"

"No, sir. That is not our way. The first thing necessary for you to do is to become a member of the 'Order of the Golden Circlet,' of which I am president and treasurer. The entrance fee, payable in advance, is five dollars. By the payment of that sum you are admitted to the order without initiation or further formality. At the same time, however, you are required to fill out one of these blanks, giving a full description of yourself, including age, height, weight, color of hair, eyes and complexion, nationality, education, disposition, habits as to liquor and tobacco, and financial standing. You give me a photograph and I give you a number, for correspondence between male and female members of the order is effected entirely through the medium of numbers, and this is the general post-office."

"And I presume you will let me see some of the young women's photographs?"

"By no means. We take as few chances as possible of revealing their identity, for their negotiations with us are conducted in the strictest confidence."

"Is the young bachelor expected to go it blind, then, and select his bride after the oriental fashion, without seeing her beforehand?"

"Certainly not; and if you will give me an opportunity I will make it clear to you. When you have had your name entered in my private membership books, which are open to no one but myself, I will show you a number of blanks filled in with the descriptions full of as many young ladies. Here is one for an example:

Miss —, No. 26.
Age ..... 20.
Height ..... 5 feet 2 inches.
Weight ..... 130 pounds.
Complexion ..... Blonde, with blue eyes.
Education ..... High school.
Disposition ..... Amiable.
N. B.—Plump and saucy, clear skin and good figure; says she knows how to cook and keep house; father a wholesale grocery clerk.

"The 'N. B.' is added by myself," explained the red-nosed man. "Of course, the name and address of the young lady are inscribed in my secret books, opposite the number 26, so that I alone know who she is. I may show you twenty such descriptive blanks, each representing a female member of the order, and, if you select from among them No. 26, say, as the one appearing to satisfy your notions of loveliness best, I place you in communication with her at once. You write a pretty little note to the fair unknown and leave it with me; I place it in pigeonhole No. 26, and when she comes in she gets it. A reply penned by her goes into your box, and so the correspondence progresses until photographs are exchanged and, very likely, an appointment made for a meeting somewhere."

"So you don't have them meet here?"

"Scarcely. I can not turn my office into a trysting-place for lovers, and then, too, it would make things less private. The courting must be done outside. It is not likely that the first young woman you are made acquainted with will prove to be the one sought; but sooner or later you are certain to discover your affinity—a lady who duplicates your mental, moral and physical characteristics—in short, the wife you have been looking for. Perhaps I should mention now that upon marriage you are expected to pay $15 additional into the treasury of the order."

"It is rather hard to tell much about a girl's character and disposition on ordinary acquaintance," sighed the reporter, low-spiritedly.

"Not at all," said the red-nosed man. "Study her from the point of view of the physiognomist and the problem is readily solved. Remember that the forehead is the seat of intellect, the mouth is the index of the affections, the eyes are the mirrors of the soul, the nose is the measure of activity and ability, love is expressed in the chin and the general contour of the head denotes the temperament."

The reporter observed that the same formula was embodied in a paragraph of the printed circular of the agency, as he read it on his way back to the office on a street car. He has not fully made up his mind as yet to seek a wife through the red-nosed man's ministrations, partly for the reason that he has one already and it might excite unpleasantness.

How to Sharpen a Knife.

"Do you know how to sharpen a carving knife?" The question was asked by a big butcher in Fulton Market. "Very few people do," said he. "The carver ought to be held at an angle of twenty to twenty-five degrees on the steel. When the other side of the blade is turned you must be careful to preserve the same angle. Then draw the steel from heel to point against the edge, using only a slight pressure."

SOME VERY BIG WAGERS.

Race-Courses of England.

To give some idea of the extraordinary wealth of men in this occupation and the way they obtain it, William Day mentions in the Fortnightly Review that Davis lost £40,000 to Mr. Bowes, the owner of Daniel O'Rourke, in one bet, when that horse won the Derby. While at dinner the evening after the race Mr. Bowes expressed some anxiety as to whether Davis would be able to meet his engagement, for he knew of others to whom he had lost heavily, and in fact, Davis was said to have been at the time Mr. C. C. Greville being one of the guests at the table that evening and bearing the conversation, mentioned the circumstance to Davis the next morning on the course, who immediately wrote Mr. Bowes a check for the amount and gave it to him. This wealth was made, and tens of thousands of pounds more, by small sums received at the list in shillings and half-crowns by a carpenter—for this was once the daily occupation of Davis, the greatest better ever known.

We had then as owners of race-horses the Dukes of Beaufort, Newcastle and Hamilton. Lord Stamford and the indomitable Marquis of Hastings. Messrs. Saville, Chaplin, Stuart (now Lord Alington), Sirs Frederick Johnstone and Hawley, all of whom knew how and when to bet. Lord Stamford lost over Hermit for the Derby £70,000, and Lord Hastings did the same thing, but on Lecturer for the Cesarewitch the latter won £75,000, and he thought but little of winning or losing £10,000 on a race. If Lord George Bentinck could fairly be called the Napoleon of the Turf in 1839, Lord Hastings was deservedly entitled to the appellation in 1867, for he had no superior in the magnitude and value of his stud or the price he gave for yearlings. He paid Mr. Padwick £11,000 for Kangaroo. His three two-year-olds—Lady Elizabeth, See Saw and the Earl—were perhaps at one time equal to, if not better than, Sir Joseph Hawley's trio—Blue Gown, Rosicrucian and Green Sleeves. Goodwood was then at the height of its prosperity with 36 races and 35 starters in a race. The Duke of Beaufort, always one of the best supporters of the turf, had 19 starters in one year at Goodwood and won 4 races, which included both the Cup, the Stakes and Three Hundred Sovereign Stakes won with Vauben. The Marquis of Hastings won the Lavant and the rich Post sweepstakes of three hundred sovereigns each with Ines. These stakes were run for at the Bibury and Stockbridge meetings. His Lordship's lucky star was in the ascendant, and the racing had never been so good before. In the 33 races that were run for, his horses started 34 times, winning ten races of the value of £7,200. Whether we look at his gigantic betting transactions or the number and value of his horses and the stakes they won, it can not be denied that the Marquis of Hastings was then the first man upon the turf. I may now allude to yearlings and the prices they then fetched. At Middle Park about 1867, or soon after, yearlings fetched extraordinary prices, as much as 1,500 guineas and 2,400 guineas were given, and out of a lot one year the average price was 500 guineas, or 20,000 guineas for the forty. Such prices no one thought would be exceeded, or even ever reached again. But prices have still gone up, and brood mares have increased in value as much as the yearlings, and, in fact, every sort of race-horse has augumented in value in like proportion, till now over 3,000 guineas are given for a brood mare and over 4,000 guineas for a yearling. Stallions have fetched 16,000 guineas, 20,000 guineas have been offered and refused for a horse in training, and 5,000 guineas was a sum not sufficiently attractive to secure a yearling that was offered for sale by private contract this year. * * * But these facts and figures, gigantic and surprising as they are, dwindle into utter insignificance when compared with the value of Hermit. This wonderful and lucky horse stands alone as a race-horse and stallion, for Hermit has won in stakes and bets for his fortunate owner, Mr. Chaplin, somewhere about £150,000, and has since earned at the stud at least as much more, and may still further augment this almost incredible sum. Again, Donovan, up to the present time, has won in stakes more than any other horse ever did, and may, and most likely will, add many more thousands to his record. He has already secured £39,062, and may yet even surpass the mighty deeds of Hermit at the stud, as he has triumphed over his performances on the race-course. Ayrshire, another lucky horse, has won for the same ducal owner nearly as much as Donovan himself, having secured in stakes alone over £36,000 up to the present date, and may, like him, yet increase largely this magnificent sum before his racing career is terminated, and afterward be at the stud as great a success as either of the two extraordinary horses I have just mentioned. These few cases, to which many others may be added, will show us the present value of our race-horses, and how greatly it exceeds the worth of those of any other age or country.

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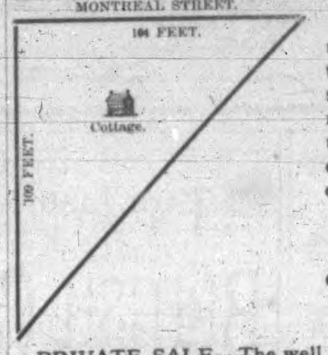

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CANADIAN NEWS.

Items of Interest Received by Telegraph from Different Points.

The Earl of Aberdeen was entertained [illegible] at the Manitoba club [illegible] west. The party left for the East last evening.

The murder of Robert Hardie, of Stratbroy, in Arizona, on the Queen's birthday, is still surrounded by mystery. His relatives and friends in Canada are doing their utmost to get at the bottom of the matter, and to obtain some trace of the perpetrator of the deed, for they do not believe Indians committed the murder.

The consecration of Very Rev. Dennis O'Connor, president of Assumption College, Sandwich, as Bishop of London, took place at St. Peter's cathedral, on Sunday. Archbishop Walsh, of Toronto, was the consecrating bishop, and many ecclesiastic dignitaries were in attendance.

Mr. Belanger, crown prosecutor, is endeavoring to procure a commutation of the sentence for Blanchard, recently found guilty of murder at the Sherbrooke assizes.

Samuel Slater, of Hamilton, manager of the Landed Loan Banking company, was instantly killed at a hunting camp near here. A man named McDonagh was testing Slater's rifle, when the bullet grazed a sapling, glanced and struck Slater in the forehead.

The Comte de Paris and party, who will spend Wednesday at Niagara Falls, leaving there Thursday morning for Kingston, will, on Friday morning, board a private steam yacht for a cruise among the thousand islands. The railway will be taken at Brockville and Montreal be reached that evening.

A special from Sydney says: A report reached here yesterday that a large square-rigged ship had been lost at St. Esprit with all on board.

TWO TRAGIC DUELS.

Mystery of a Lieutenant's Hiding Explained —A Strange Story.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The brief paragraphs that appeared in this morning's papers, giving the fact that Lieutenant Wienert had been tried and acquitted on the charge of desertion, gave no intimation of the romantic and sensational circumstances behind. It will be remembered that Wiener fought two duels and then disappeared. When he returned he claimed that his disappearance came from the fear that the death of one of his opponents might cause him trouble, and was in no sense influenced by any desire to leave the army or shirk its duties. He declared upon his honor as an officer and a gentleman that the reason for his duels was a family one of the gravest importance and should never be made public. The true inwardness of the affair is now made public.

Lieutenant Weinert is an Alsatian, aged 27 years. He is considered a brave officer and served with marked distinction in Tonquin. He is handsome, and has always been a favorite among his comrades. In May last he disappeared, and for three months there was no trace of him, and no messages came to indicate his whereabouts. At the end of that time it was ascertained that he was then and had been at the home of his parents at Schlosstadt, in Alsace. When this discovery was made, the French papers almost unanimously condemned him as a deserter to Germany, and went so far as to say he had sold charts of the defences of Toulon to the enemy. His friends were naturally aghast at such a charge, as death alone would be the punishment if he were caught. As soon as he saw the attacks on him he made up his mind not to delay, but to return and face matters. The result of the case has already been told. Now comes the love part of the story.

But here comes the rub. Mrs. Campbell, the governor's wife, is a most estimable and intelligent lady, and very emphatic in her views. She lets the governor run matters at the state house as he pleases, but at home is in command, and as commander-in-chief of

Some time ago Weinert loved a beautiful girl, who returned his affection, and marriage was arranged between them, but the villain of the drama made his appearance in the usual style. This one was an Italian prince, and he soon began to pay court to the lieutenant's beautiful fiancee. She was fascinated by the Italian's manner and title. Weinert would not give her up without a struggle. He warned her of her peril, and threatened to kill the prince if anything happened to the girl. Upon this the prince sent a challenge to the young lieutenant, which was accepted. The meeting took place in the latter's garden, and the weapons were swords. After some passes Weinert ran the prince through the body, and he was carried off unconscious and died soon afterward. To avenge his friend's death one of the prince's seconds sent Weinert another challenge, which, too, was accepted. The scene was the same spot in the garden where the former duel had taken place. In this encounter, however, Lieut. Weinert was slightly wounded, but his opponent suffered as seriously as his royal friend, and like him was carried off the field unconscious, and it is believed has since died.

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City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 29th. oct1

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 o'clock p. m. on the 17th of December next, at the office of the undersigned, for the Construction of Sewers for the Corporation of [illegible]

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Five per centum of the approximate amount of the work tendered for will be required to be deposited with a tender to ensure its consideration. This may be done either in Cash or by Certified Cheque on some Bank in British Columbia. All Cash or Certified Cheques to be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

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ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.—Charles, the escaped San Quinten convict who was recently arrested in Chicago, for the Lexington, Ky., robbery in the spring of 1889, [illegible] robbed of a large amount of valuables. Sergeant Hoagland, often an officer, worked on the case and arrested a man who gave his name as James P. Collins. While Collins was behind the bars he was visited by a well-dressed gentleman, whose actions aroused suspicions that resulted in his arrest. He was indignant and said that his name was Charles H. Thorne, and that he was a merchant at Union City, Ind. On his person was found two loaded revolvers and $6000 in money. He could not be connected with the Smith robbery and was released. Collins remained in custody and a man named Williams, a burglar, was put in the same cell with him.

One day Williams told Chief of Detectives O'Neil, that Collins had confessed he was one of the two men who committed a famous stage robbery in California, in which a man named Cummings was killed, and that his partner on that occasion was a banker named Dorsey, alias Thorne. Collins has been convicted of the Smith robbery and sentenced to three years imprisonment, but it was decided to give him up to the California authorities, and notice was accordingly sent. As a result, Captain Lees, of San Francisco, came here and identified Collins as a notorious desperado who has served a four years' sentence. From the description given, he also recognized Thorne, the man who had visited Collins in jail.

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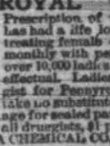

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A. ST. G. FLINT,
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WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE of Frederick L. Castle of San Francisco, California, to a three-fifths interest in suburban lot number 38, Esquimalt District, bearing date the 2nd day of July 1863, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month of the date hereof.

H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
Acting Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria October 14th 1890.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Lot 459, Victoria City.

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H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
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Land Registry Office,
Victoria, Oct. 15, 1890. oc15-3m

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Acting Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria 27th Sept. 1890. oc14-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. R. H. Tyrwhitt Drake, Barrister-at-Law, was on 1st August last admitted as a partner in the firm of Drake, Jackson and Helmcken, which will hereafter carry on business by carrying on under the same name.

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A WORD WITH THE TELEGRAM.

While we agree with the Vancouver Telegram, that "if two highly respectable journals" (the Commercial Bulletin and the Boston Transcript) are right, the Republican managers and the representatives in Congress have literally sold their country to the capitalists" by passing the McKINLEY bill, and that consequently "the Republicans should go," we should like to hear from the Telegram equally as emphatic a statement to the effect that Macdonaldism must go! Unless we are prepared to denounce National Policy we cannot consistently condemn it in others. If the Republican managers, by the passage of the McKINLEY bill, sold the country to the capitalists, it is not less true that in the FOSTER bill we have a taansaction in kind. We would, therefore, hear from the Telegram respecting Fosterism, and when it has exhausted that subject we shall gladly listen to its animadversions on the doings of our neighbors. We would have the Telegram to understand that it cannot kill National Policy by striking at it over McKINLEY's shoulders. The Telegram must meet it face to face and strike direct from the shoulder. There is this consolation for the Telegram, however; it has an emulator in the Hon. JOHN ROBSON. That gentleman, orating the other night, turned himself loose on the McKINLEY bill, but never a word said he in respect to National Policy. The distinguished gentlemen who were being banquetted probably did not note this flagrant case of the pot calling the kettle black, but among us who are familiar with the situation, the Premier's attitude seemed passing strange, as he only had to glance about him to find McKinleyism exemplified. Mr. ROBSON might have admitted that in so far as protection is concerned, the Tories and Republicans both, are tarred with the same stick. Doubtless, in his heart the Premier thinks so, but did not feel that he was in a position to unbosom himself freely. He was safe enough in cursing the Yankees *ad lib.*, but in condemning protection on this side of the line he might run afoul of the susceptibilities of his new constituency. Mr. ROBT WARD pursued a different course. He was the only man of the entire number present who had the "sand" to take the bull by the horns. He spoke frankly and to the point, and it is to be hoped that when next he votes for an M. P., that party will not represent a cordial but independent support of a protectionist government.

Presuming that anti-McKinley organs are also anti-National Policy organs, need we remark that it is none too soon for them to turn their guns on that measure, and to cast about them for candidates to represent the true interests of British Columbia. It may not be, that even the Liberals can secure reciprocity with the States. They should be permitted, at least, to make the effort. There is no pocketing of pride in our making the first overtures; it is simply business. If reciprocity is worth having it is worth making overtures for. If it is "eating dirt" to solicit reciprocity with the States, it is "eating dirt" for a newspaper to solicit advertisements and for mercantile men to send out drummers to find sale for their wares. To assume that Canada, consistent with self respect, cannot press the question of reciprocity on the attention of the United States is simply the effect of false pride. On the other hand, in the event of the United States rejecting all overtures for reciprocity based on fair grounds, we should not seriously oppose complete commercial isolation. We do not believe in retaliation, but we do believe that only heroic measures will divert the gaze of the Canadian producer of raw products from the market to the south of him, so long as he has hopes of that market, and is able to subsist in the meantime off the meagre profits of his sales, just so long will he be laggard of hunting up new markets. But we are dealing with this phase of the question as the dummer of possibilities. We do not wish to be understood as committed to it in any way. It is suggested to us by the [illegible] situation of Canada, which could be no worse if complete commercial isolation was in actual operation. But Fosterism must first be smashed before we adopt the heroic course to which we have just called attention. Not until every resource has been exhausted consistent with self-respect, and with the true interests of Canada, should we think, much less talk of isolating ourselves from a market of [illegible]

MR. ROBSON AND THE INDEPENDENTS.

When, a few days ago, the Hon. JOHN ROBSON abandoned his old constituency for the pocket borough of Cariboo, the Colonist attempted to justify the act by quoting the opinions of the Mainland press. The Colonist is now engaged in another effort in behalf of the Premier equally as fruitless. Disregarding the election returns of last June, which indicate that the Government was sustained by a plurality vote only, it undertakes to show that on the Mainland there is no such party as the Independents, that in fact, barring some slight irritation resulting from the peculiar character of the Redistribution Act Robsonism on the Lower Fraser is just as strong as ever. It is just possible that this is the case. There is no telling to what extent an elector will change his mind, but allowing that no change has occurred since last June, the conclusion is irresistible that there is an Independent party, and that the Premier will have to bring into play more craft than usual, if he would continue to remain at the head of the government. And this view of the case is largely born out by the action of the Premier himself. It is all very fine for him to declare that he is overworked and cannot do justice to his old constituency and the Premiership at the same time, as an excuse for chosing to represent Cariboo, but the truth of the matter is, the Premier discovered himself to be in hot water and proceeded to extricate himself as best he could. It is not to the point that no straight Opposition candidate was elected to represent the Lower Fraser, and that Mr. ORR was beaten in Vancouver. The fact that Independent candidates were elected, and, that they are notoriously in opposition to the Premier, is sufficient to show the falseness of the assumption of our contemporary. The Government is singularly obtuse in their failure to correctly estimate the temper of the Independents, and, in fact, so far as that is concerned, the temper of the entire province. Does the Colonist really suppose that the concessions the Government have made, and particularly with reference to the public lands, will re-establish them in the confidence of the people? The people quite well understand that the action of the Government in respect to the public lands was a case of "had to." The Government only changed the tenor of their land policy to avert ruin. It was not because they were in sympathy with the principle of the thing. But that which sticks in the Government craw is that the News, like CÆSAR, is ambitious. Ambition with the oligarchs is legitimate, but with others it is positively disgraceful. The oligarchs may with perfect propriety avail themselves of pocket boroughs that they shall not be forced to relax their grip on the flesh-pots, but the very moment an independent editor manifests the slightest symptom of a desire to take a hand in the affairs of the Province, the Government roars out "Crucify him!"

An Independent will be elected to represent the Lower Fraser, and he will affiliate with the Government just so far as the measures of the Government meet his approval, and no more. The Government will find this coming session of the House a lot of members wholly unfamiliar with the game of "thumbs up."

THE CALL AND THE COMING RACE.

Respecting the "Coming Race," we find that we are not alone in the stand we have taken. All of our contemporaries are substantially in accord with us, whether Canadian or American. The Montreal Witness dissents from Lord WOLSELEY in an exhaustive article, which unfortunately is too long to be reproduced here, and, which to epitomize would spoil it. The San Francisco Call, however, has an article on the subject which, besides being within the limits of our space throws a flood of light on the situation. The Call says:

Against this prediction (Wolseley's) the imitation of the Chinese mind may be urged. The Chinese are mere copyists; they do not originate. They adopt our methods readily, but suggest nothing in return. When the Chinese build a navy their ships will be patterned after those of the European nations. When they make big guns they will be European or American guns. Their readiness and fidelity as imitators is remarkable. There is so little reasoning in what they do that they imitate mistakes as well as designs. There is one respect in which the Chinese may become the coming people. Their patience, endurance and adaptiveness may make them formidable competitors in general manufacturing. At present they can do a given amount of work for less pay than any other people under the sun. They do not work cheaply for choice, and will not when they can help it, but in a hand to hand struggle for industrial supremacy they are likely to lead the world. Should all restriction upon commerce be removed, capital might establish industries in China, where American labor-saving machinery and Chinese cheap labor could be united to produce goods at the lowest cost. Should this time come, the world will take a long step backward. The light of our high civilization will go out. The progress of the workingman upward in the social scale will cease. The condition of the working people in China will be the standard for all the world. Where working people are better paid than in China the cost of materials produced will be greater. It is said sometimes that free, enlightened, educated labor cannot compete with ignorant, servile labor. So it could not if the latter had only to use its muscles. But when the cheap laborer may work with the tools designed by the free and educated laborer, the two conditions become so blended that neither works out separate results. China would not be a formidable industrial competitor if its labor could be applied only to Chinese tools and machinery. But with European and American inventions and European and American superintendents, the physical endurance and mental adaptiveness of the Chinese will produce greater results than Europeans and Americans can produce in their several countries.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The new armoured battleship Hood, which is to be constructed at an estimated cost of £600,000, will be the largest and most powerful vessel of her class ever built in Chatham Dockyard. She is expected to attain a speed of twenty knots per hour.

An English paper says: Canada will make a determined bid for next season's European emigration. Delegates representing the various foreign colonies Manitoba and the Northwest will be sent to their native countries this autumn to point out the advantages of settlement in that country. Free transportation will be given to them by the Canadian Pacific Railway and steamship lines.

A good deal of interest is naturally being taken in the handsome nugget of gold recently unearthed at the Shaw Falls gold fields, which is now in the possession of the Union Bank of Australia, at Perth. The nugget which has been christened "The Little Hero," weighed 333 ozs. 8 dwts., and the party by whom it was found gave the most favorable account of the auriferous prospects of the locality. The Shaw Falls fields lie about 200 miles to the eastward of Roebourne, and several prospecting parties are being organized to examine the surrounding country, in the confident expectation that gold bearing veins abound.

The discovery in Alaska of a new plant may have an important effect upon certain industrial enterprises. The plant produces a ball an inch and a half to two inches in diameter, each ball containing thousands of bright-hued threads of the finest of floss silk. It is reported that the plant flourishes throughout a wide area, and that the supply is practically inexhaustible. Experiments are to be made to test its tensile strength, and if this in any degree approximates that of silk, flax or cotton, the value of the discovery must prove incalculable, for even if the length of the fiber should forbid its economical use for cloths, it must be extensively used for velvets, plushes, and other piles.

The little steamer, which has performed troopship service on the Congo for Mr. STANLEY, has just arrived at Liverpool, after a voyage of no less than 4900 miles. The vessel, the Governor Albuquerque by name, reached the Mersey on September 21, under the command of Capt. JAMES PATTERSON. The Governor Albuquerque, when on the Congo, took up the great river many of Mr. H. M. STANLEY's troops and others followers, as well as the eminent explorer himself. She came home from the Congo under her own steam, and, notwithstanding that she was so very foul on account of being so long on the coast, she ran the long distance in thirty-eight days. Having the appearance of a foreign voyageur, the little craft created a good deal of attention in dock, which was added to by her crew of Africans. The only whites on board were Capt. PATTERSON, the engineer, and chief officer. The Governor Albuquerque is but eighty-five tons net register, and although she met with several stiff gales, she only had her skylight windows smashed.

An extraordinary "story of a whale's pluck" comes from Adelaide, and from the pen of Dr. MANNINGTON CAFFYN. The captain of the steamship Port Adelaide, when he was taking his sights on July 17, noticed a large sperm whale alongside, so close that his spouting wetted the deck. "The creature," so continues the story, "had evidently lost his 'school,' and mistaken us for one of his own species. He remained with us for four days and nights, and traveled 890 nautical or 1025 statute miles, without a rest, and, as far as one could gather, without food. He was never more than 70 yards away, and, for the most part, close against the ship, under her quarter, where the draught made swimming easier for him. The length of the animal was about 47 feet. The first day he was very lively, diving frequently beneath the ship's bottom, on one occasion scratching himself severely. After that he kept close alongside like a tired Newfoundland dog. When he did come up, the children amused themselves by throwing potatoes into his 'blow holes' which were ejected again with great force. All this monstrous mammal (who seems to have been forgotten when the rest were given legs) has any capacity for sorrow it must have been a pathetic moment with him when, at last, after his patient endeavors [illegible] to throw up the sponge, and remain alone in the centre of the Indian Ocean." The story sounds very like a whale, or, rather, very like Dr. MANNINGTON CAFFYN.

The last issue of Truth (London) to hand contains the following paragraph: "An extraordinary anomaly in the colonial postal service has lately been pointed out by the TIMES of Victoria, British Columbia. It appears that [illegible] mail, it appears that letters and newspapers dispatched to Victoria via New York on Saturday reach their destination many days before those dispatched by the Canadian mail on the previous Thursday. Writing on September 6, the VICTORIA TIMES states that the Canadian mail from England of August 21 had not then arrived, being a week overdue; while letters and papers posted in London on August 20, via New York, had been to hand fully a week. This appears to apply to all parts of Canada as much as to British Columbia, so that all Canadian correspondence is best addressed via New York." An unexpected illustration of the difference between the two services is afforded by the copy of Truth from which we make this excerpt. Although forewarned the publishers were not forearmed and the paper, mailed as formerly by the old route, has taken five days longer to reach us than it would have taken had it been posted via New York. Our old country contemporaries, be they Tory or Liberal, are conservative of old habits, and although, as in this instance, a better way is pointed out to them, they are slow to reform. But what has been a custom for years is sometimes difficult to overcome, even in more progressive Canada. For the past year we have had a daily overland mail service between Victoria and San Francisco, in addition to the mail steamers every five days. Formerly the latter was our only mail communication with the southern city, and so ingrained had the habit of waiting for the steamer become, that a large majority of our citizens still continue in the old rut, forgetting apparently that letters can be forwarded any day of the week by rail quite as well. The time occupied by a letter going to San Francisco is about the same by either route, but the railway service is six times a week and the steamer only every fifth day.

THE GREAT NUISANCE.

TO THE EDITOR:—Allow me to say that St. Andrew's church have no occasion to buy any property which it is desirable to clear of an immoral trade, and it would be most improper in the managers to do so, were money as plentiful with them as sea water. Those who own the houses and use them for such a purpose, or lease them to others for such a purpose, must be made responsible for their wrong doing. SPECTATOR.

Oct. 20th, 1890.

THE GREAT EVIL.

TO THE EDITOR:—Kindly allow me through your columns to say a few words to a "Would-Be Church Member," whose very un-Christian advice anent a public nuisance I noticed in your last night's issue. He suggests that the council pass a by-law to remove these fallen members of society to some hidden corner of the city. What for? To keep them from the influence for good of more favored members of society, or is he afraid our sisters and wives will be contaminated by merely walking the street they reside on, or the church being polluted by their proximity? Now, brother, if you really would be a church member, why not try and be a more Christ-like one, and not be the first to cast a stone at her who has fallen. I fancy I can see your blush of shame when after reading your own suggestion for improvement, you turn to the first page of that same issue, and read of a popular and polished church member in Montreal and what he was expelled for. Who is most guilty, that man or these women? I won't say what I think but will allow your conscience to decide for you. Now, instead of suggesting that the council banish the demi-monde to some hidden corner, could you not better suggest that the city build a house for them, and there would be church members would have a chance of contributing to the support of these unhappy creatures in a less loathsome position. Don't be deceived, friend; it is not left to the professed profligate to support these women in their present condition, but respected members of society tolerate them. I hope I am not speaking too plainly on the subject, but I feel strongly and am earnest in my desire to see this local evil remedied. Such a thing is not impossible, and I think could be more easily accomplished by allowing such men as Sir Macleod to speak out, than by trying to silence his Christian efforts. If there were no ungodly men in the city, ungodly women would soon disappear, and if you (a would-be church member) are in earnest, you can do much more good by extending a helping hand to fallen humanity than by trampling them deeper in the mire in which they have fallen, and by encouraging our sisters and wives to do the same. Trusting you will think more seriously on this matter, I remain

A CHURCH MEMBER.

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CLARA MORRIS.

A Full House to Hear "Camille"—A Splendid Rendition.

Notwithstanding the steady downpour of rain last night, some of which found its way to the stage of the Victoria through the roof, "Camille" was given to a full house, and was well received. Camille, as impersonated by Miss Morris, is deserving of more than stereotyped notice. Camille is a study. She may not be a very pleasant object to contemplate, but she is human and [illegible] only endurable but of surpassing interest. In Camille we have the world, the flesh and the devil, subtilely put, it is true, but yet with an emphasis strong enough to admit of a sharp contrast with the highest form of sacrifice, and irresistably our sympathies go out to the woman on whom society, as it were, has set the brand of Cain. Unpleasant, however as is the subject Miss Morris' realization of it, besides exciting pathetic interest, charms as an exhibition of art. The spirit of Camille, it might be said, has fallen upon her. We are made acquainted with the secrets of Camille's soul. We have not merely the corporeal but the incorporeal. We have Camille as she would have been. So much for Miss Morris' conception and faculty of portrayal of a character which though repulsive in one sense will ever command a pathetic interest. In respect to dramatic congruity, however, we should say that Miss Morris is rather too substantial a person to give us an ideal realization of the consumptive Camille. We would prefer to have Camille in the flesh as well as in the spirit. We shall not make so bold as to recommend that Miss Morris reduce the avoirdupois, but certainly she can lay no claim of physical resemblance to the delicately framed mortal Dumas has so finely portrayed. But this is merely an incidental view of the case. So long as the spirit of a thing is given, physical discrepancy need not be considered. We had rather, however, that Miss Morris as Camille was more Sylph-like. We find it impossible to associate Camille with physical robustness. As an offset to this objection to Miss Morris' Camille, we have in the former a delightfully good natured person. Notwithstanding that Plurius stole a march on her, and to such an extent that we should not have been surprised had she called for an umbrella, she preserved her equanimity, gave us Camille, in fact, just as though she was undergoing a sun instead of a shower bath. It is to be hoped for the credit of this city that steps will be taken to make the roof of the Victoria theatre water tight. To-night the play is Renee de Moray, with Miss Morris as the Countess de Moray. The play is a strong one, full of dramatic climaxes and, as a whole, probably more interesting than that of Camille. We need not express the hope that another full house will greet Miss Morris to-night; we are sure of it.

THEIR FIRST BAZAAR.

The Ladies of Victoria West Meet With Success.

Thanks to strenuous efforts and characteristic energy of the ladies of the Victoria West Presbyterian church, a very successful sale of work was opened and conducted at their new hall this afternoon. As usual the selection was most appropriate, displaying the superior taste and thoughtfulness of woman. Unfortunately the deluge interfered somewhat with the attendance early in the day, but this mended as time wore on, the street cars proving a considerable help in this respect. Every endeavor was made to ensure success, and the main credit is due to the following ladies:

Plain work—Mrs R. Semple and Mrs. Welsh.

Fancy work—Miss Mckay and Miss Turple.

Candies—Miss Gibson; Doorkeeper, Miss Tyson.

A large table, tastefully and temptingly arranged, occupied one side of the hall, and was presided over by Mrs. Veitch, Miss Semple, Miss A. Semple, Miss Thorpe. This was the lunch table, governed by Mrs. McDonald and Miss Skinner. Mrs. McCrae superintended the whole.

Miss Grace Campbell and Miss Oldershaw decorated the visitors with button-hole bouquets, while most of the ladies in turn contributed to the musical tastes of the assembled people.

The only regrettable part of the affair was the absence of Rev. Mr. McCrae, who unfortunately is suffering from an acute attack of bronchitis.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The U. P. Company's steamer Michigan is due form Portland on Friday.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz will leave for northern ports to-morrow evening.

The C. P. R. steamer Abyssinia sailed from Yokohama for this port on the 12th inst.

The sealing schooner Pioneer is being thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new rigging.

The C. P. N. Company have built a new wharf in the outer harbor to be used for boats out of service.

The Government steamer Douglas will leave for Bonilla Point to-morrow to visit the lighthouses.

The steamer Straits of Belle Isle, from Yokohama and Oriental ports is now due, she having been out twenty days.

The Nova Scotian ship Mary L. Burrill now loading wheat at Seattle, is the first deep water ship ever loading wheat at that port.

The bark Julie, Capt. Riber, 410 tons, is on the berth at Liverpool loading a general cargo consigned to Turner, Beeton & Co, of Victoria.

A new marine boiler for the steamer Daisy is at Vancouver, it having been shipped from Peterboro, where it was built by the Hamilton Co.

The small steamer Emma was towed into port Sunday by the tug Standard. The Emma was picked up in a disabled condition owing to a slight disarrangement of the machinery which can easily be put right, when she will be put to work again.

Large lines of new goods in furniture, carpets, glassware, etc., constantly arriving at John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street.

Stationery at Daley's.

CARE FOR THE EYE.

A Simple and Effectual Means of Preserving the Sight.

People who have never had any trouble with their eyes can hardly appreciate the full value of good sight. The loss of this sense for a few days, a week, a month, or a year—this is what brings clearly before the mind the fact that sight is indeed priceless. Ask the scholar who has injured his eyes by [illegible] hours of burning the midnight lamp. His answer will be the same in effect as that of the mountaineer who has suffered the agonies of snow blindness. And people who overwork or abuse their eyes, or who meet with accidents, or whom poverty compels to engage in avocations which are injurious to the sight, are doing no more to shorten the time when they will have good use of their eyes than are those who by wearing cheap or improper glasses, are daily decreasing the term in which they will have sight. The blind manage to exist, but those who can see, certainly wish to preserve their sight as long as possible, hence they will not lose the opportunity they now have of securing a thorough scientific test of the eyes, and of getting fine glasses, properly fitted by the celebrated New York optician, Mr. F. D. Seward, whose office is over Cochrane & Munn's Palace drug store, corner of Yates and Douglas streets, opposite the Clarence hotel.

Another Sealer.

Yet another schooner is to be added to the sealing fleet already running out of Victoria. A few local men are joining in the venture, and hope to make it a success. The building of the new schooner has been placed in Mr. R. Colvin's hands, the well-known designer and builder of the Clyde shipyard. The vessel, which is to be completed by March next, is to be 67ft. on the keel by 21 feet beam and 8.9 feet depth of hold. She is to be built in the best and strongest manner, and dead wood will be left in her aft so that a stern tube for a propellor shaft can be easily put in. A screw aperture will also be left, and if at any time the owners desire to place engines in her, it can be readily done. The craft is to have a regular yacht bottom, and will be swift.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

"And the rain it raineth every day."

W. T. Drake has removed his coal office to near James Bay Bridge. *

There are at present 200 typhoid patients in the Seattle hospital.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

The C. P. N. Company propose erecting a ticket office and waiting rooms on their wharf.

Don't fail to attend the clear ng sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

The Victoria Building Society will have a drawing for an appropriation on Wednesday night.

The Jubilee Range is sold only by McLennan & McFeely, 70 Yates street. *

If this sort of weather keeps up for a time the day of the grass fire can be reckoned on as done for this year.

Gum Boots, Rubbers, Arcties, &c, for everybody, at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

Special drill of the uniform rank K. of P. is called for to-morrow evening at the usual place and time.

The second regular fortnightly social entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. will take place at their rooms to-morrow evening.

A bouncing baby boy has taken up his residence in the establishment of Mr. Wm. Duck of this city, and is now king of the house.

The wet weather was against a good house at Professor Muller's lecture at Philharmonic Hall last night, but those who were present were greatly pleased at the beautiful views shown.

The search for the Caffire boys was continued both yesterday and to-day, but perhaps the excessively wet weather will account for the non-success of the seekers who sought and found not.

October number of the "New Music Bulletin" (C. A. Lombard & Co.) contains a cleverly written sketch "Musical People" by C. M. H. It is a mild satire nicely put and worth reading. The list of pieces is fairly large.

A man named Henry Hearn was taken to the police cells last night suffering from a mild form of insanity, superinduced by a too frequent use of whiskey. He will be kept under restraint until he becomes straightened up.

In places where connections have been made with the Johnson street sewer, principally on Broad street, the road has sunk down about two feet and if something is not done immediately some horse and vehicle will meet with a fatal accident.

John Newton, who for twenty-five years has been a resident of Constance Cove, Esquimalt, left to-day for California to visit a brother, and will proceed from there to Missouri, there to pass the remainder of his days. Mr. Newton is a Kentuckian by birth and 73 years of age.

The principal social attractions to-night will be the ball given by His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson; Clara Morris will appear at the Victoria at eight o'clock, and the performance so timed as to be ready for carriages in time for the ball.

It was Mr. Emerson who said "the first health is wealth," and it was a wiser than the modern philosopher who said that "the blood is the life." The system, like the clock, runs down. It needs winding up. The blood gets poor and scores of diseases result. It needs a tonic to enrich it.

A certain wise doctor, after years of patient study, discovered a medicine which purified the blood, gave tone to the system, and made men—tired, nervous, brain-wasting men—feel like new. He called it "his Golden Medical Discovery." It has been sold for years, sold by the million of bottles, and people [illegible] Dr. Pierce, who discovered it, now feels warranted in selling it under a positive guarantee of its doing good in all cases.

Perhaps it's the medicine for you. Your's wouldn't be the first case of scrofula or salt-rheum, skin disease, or lung disease, it has cured when nothing else would. The trial's worth making, and costs nothing. Money refunded if it don't do you good.

Hard Sense.

Why you haven't as much sense as [illegible] down?"

The man who presented a Confederate bill in payment for a debt, was accused of reviving war issues.

Imperial Federation.

Will present an opportunity to spread the fame of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the unfailing remedy for cholera, cholera morbus, colic, cramps, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all summer complaints, in every part of the Empire. Wild Strawberry never fails.

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For further information apply to the undersigned.
B. WILLIAMS, Secretary,
oc13-1m Fort St. cor. Broad.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEPARATE AND BULK TENDERS WILL be received by the undersigned until Saturday, noon, the 25th Oct., 1890, for the erection and completion of a frame villa residence on lot 29, Esquimalt Road. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen and any other information obtained by applying to EDWARD McCURDRIE & CO., Architects and Building Superintendents, Belmont Block, Yates street. oc16-td

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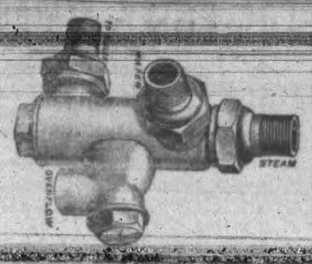

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TO CONTRACTORS.

All Contractors or Sub Contractors who have not already paid their Trades License, are requested to do so before the 31st inst., otherwise summonses will be issued to enforce same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.
Victoria, Oct. 17, 1890. oc17-tf

Medical Council
EXAMINATIONS.

The semi-annual examination of the B.C. Medical Council takes place in the City of Vancouver, beginning on the 4th day of November next. Full information can be obtained by applying to
G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
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Increased funds becoming actually necessary, annual subscribers will kindly pay their subscriptions and donations to the secretary who will furnish the necessary receipt for the same.

The Directors propose between now and 30th November next canvassing the city in sections, and as no direct appeal to the public has been made for nearly three years they confidently hope their call will be liberally met.

In the meantime supscriptions and donations by cheques or otherwise may be paid to the credit of the Institution at the Bank of British Columbia or to

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Office of Austin & Yates, 27 Government St.
Victoria, 20th Oct., 1890. oct20-1m

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In great variety, all sizes.
BRUSSELS CARPETS,
Large stock, newest designs.
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Largest Stock of Furniture, Crockery, Glassware, Wallpaper
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A large shipment, 73 rolls of Linoleum, 12 feet wide, ex Ship WANLOCK, at low rate of freight direct from manufacturers in Scotland, will [illegible] bargains.
Intending purchasers will find it to their advantage to give me a call, as the will find my prices lower than any other store in the Province.
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PROMINENT MEN DEAD.

Some Prominent Canadians and others Who Have Gone to the Great Beyond—Men Who Have Just Pass Away.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Capt Richard Burton, famous as a soldier, explorer, linguist and author, is dead. Captain Burton was born in Ireland, in 1821. He began life at Oxford, being destined for the church, but his military ardor led to his obtaining a commission in the Indian army, which he joined in 1842, at the end of the Afghan war. He was 19 years in the Bombay army and eight [illegible] Damascus. He was a distinguished linguist, being master of eight Oriental languages. He visited Mecca and Medina in 1853, and commanded an expedition to explore Mosleta Abyssinia and Somali Land, having with him Captain Speke. In the Crimean war he was chief of staff to General Beaton, and was the principal organizer of the irregular cavalry. In 1856 he explored the lake regions of Central Africa and discovered Tanganika, being absent three years. In 1860 he travelled all over the United States; and the succeeding year his military career came to an end, the Indian army changing hands. He next spent three years in exploring the West Coast of Africa for the British Government, following the service with a mission to the King of Dahomey with an object of putting an end to the inhuman practices there prevailing. For four years he was employed in Brazil and the Argentine Republic, being afterwards appointed to the consulate at Damascus. During his residence there he thoroughly acquainted himself with the natural condition of Syria. He also visited Midian, Iceland, and the country at the back of the Gold Coast colony. He wrote some thirty works descriptive of his travels, and received the gold medals of the French and English Geographical Society.

SENATOR ARCHIBALD.

HALIFAX, Oct. 20.—Senator Archibald died suddenly of heart failure. The deceased was called to the Senate by Royal proclamation at the time of the Union, in 1867, and had previously sat in the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia from 1856 until the Union, having been from 1860 to 1863 a member of the Executive Council. He was a member of the firm of Archibald & Co., merchants, Sydney, and was consular agent for Spain, Uruguay and the United States.

DR. JOHN BOYNTON.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Oct. 20.—Dr. John Farnham Boynton died to-day, aged 79 years. He was one of the first of popular lecturers on scientific subjects. He delivered a course of lectures several years ago in New York. He was a forty-niner from this city, and when in California was employed by the government to raise a sunken vessel in San Francisco harbor. He has patented 30 important and useful inventions.

PROF. GALBRAITH.

DUBLIN, Oct. 20.—Prof. Galbraith, the prominent Nationalist, is dead.

THE PRINCE DESPONDENT.

His Health, and that of His Family, so Poor as to Occasion Alarm.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—The health of the Prince of Wales and members of his family threatens to become a matter of serious moment to the nation. His eldest son, Duke of Clarence and Avondale, whose naturally delicate health wat not improved by his visit to India, suffers considerably from gout and eczema. The Duchess of Fife, since her illness in the spring, has been growing weaker, and the bracing air of the Highlands, which the queen regards as a panacea for all special ailments, has not done her any good. Now alarming statements are current that she has shown decided signs of consumption. Princess Maude, the youngest of the sisters, who is not yet 21, and who has always been a sufferer from hysterics, has for some time past been subject to an increase of these attacks.

Perhaps the most serious of all is that of the prince himself. For some months past his friends have noticed that his health was materially changed for the worse, and his strength can no longer be depended upon. His failing health has given him much pain, and he has lost a great deal of his buoyancy and good spirits. Not long since, in conversation with some of his intimates, he spoke very despondently of his condition.

NEW ATLANTIC CABLE.

Scheme Well Under Way for Great Telegraph Enterprise.

LONDON, Oct. 19.—It is rumored that a number of capitalistsats headed by C. W. Bonynge, formerly a prominent mining operator of San Francisco, intend to lay a new cable across the Atlantic. The capital will be £800,000, to be taken by eight men at £100,000 each, and it is to be fully paid up and no debentures issued. The cable is to be laid from Valencia bay, on the west coast of Ireland, to a point on the American coast near New York.

Mr. Bonynge was seen at his home in Princessgate. "I am," he said, "one of the people interested, and have paid up my $100,000. The cable, however, will be practically a private enterprise. We can lay the cable complete and in working order for £800,000, and it will be odd if we cannot pay big dividends and give the public immense advantages besides. Further than this I prefer to say nothing."

From another source it was learned that the real object of the enterprise is the reduction of cable rates between America and England to about threepence a word. This scheme is well under way. Mr. Bonynge will sail for New York on the Teutonic on the 29th inst., to make the American arrangements. As part of the plan it has been decided that the company shall build and own its own wires from New York to Chicago, St. Louis, Boston and Philadelphia, and then control absolutely and exclusively the greatest share of all the American business.

A Criminal Lawyer's Views.

One of the most skillful criminal lawyers in New York said, in speaking of the Birchall murder case:

"The trial of this man has recalled to my mind the judgment of the strongest writers on criminal jurisprudence in the world. This judgment coincides with the theories which have been held by the great writers of criminal stories from Gaboriau to Charles Reade. It is that [illegible] denial is the very strongest defense that a prisoner can make of murder. All of the efforts to prove alibis, substantiate outside plans [illegible] amount to child's play. If the prisoner, from the very moment he is arrested, absolutely denies all knowledge of the murder, and refuses point blank to talk to anybody except his counsel, it is the hardest thing in the world to convict him, no matter how strong the circumstantial evidence may be. Nine-tenths of the men convicted on circumstantial evidence for murder have only themselves to blame for their punishment. If nobody has actually [illegible] innocent, no circumstances will never menace him.

ELOPED WITH WIFE'S SISTER.

A New York Husband Deserts His Wife Penniless in the Street.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 19.—The village of Elbridge, in this county, is excited over the simultaneous disappearance of Charles C. Morgan, son of the late General Morgan, and Mrs. William Emery, his sister-in-law. Their relatives believe that the young people have eloped.

After General Morgan died in California ten years ago, the family settled in Elbridge. Charles secured a cadetship at West Point through the influence of his uncle, General Slocum, of Brooklyn, but he did not share the military ardor of his father and resigned in 1880, in order to marry Miss Emery, of Auburn. About a year ago William Emery, of Auburn, a brother of young Mrs. Morgan, married Miss Clara Stevens, an Elbridge girl. Sir months later young Emery disappeared, and the grass widow came home to her father. She became very intimate at the Morgan home, and recently young Morgan told his wife that he wished to embark in business in Syracuse. They came to the city and raised $500 at a broker's office. Morgan left his wife on the street and she has not seen him or the money since.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. City of Kingston from the Sound—J King, H Stevens, W Butler, Captain Folger and wife, P McTeigh, C M Nicholls, B Hilton, Miss Starr, D Williford and two daughters, C G Cunningham, A W Wright and wife, G McGuire, W Steele, H A Myers, J W Hanna, E W Bullock, R G Brown, C T Mulerton, H Rich, Mrs Wright, O L Wilson, A Lewis, E L Smith, W Bray, F Jones, S G Leiser, G Seville and wife, Mrs Frie, A J Hagott and wife, J Savannah, W H Cameron, Mrs Wilson, Dr R H Smith, E D Burt, T W Todd, Mrs Hart, Mrs Talbot, E LaRose, wife and daughter, C T Cooper, C Pangthorpe, A Stewart, J Centra and wife, G D B Turner, A Johnson, F Olsen, F D Seward.

Per Steamer North Pacific from the Sound—A C Batch, O Berry, Clara Morris, F Roberts, Miss Willet, Miss Trote, F Lloyd, W E Garrick, F Robinson, S Laughlin, O H Frielander, H W Simpson, F C Harriot, E H Price, Miss Gaylor, Miss Barton, Miss Jake, B D Christiansen and wife, J H Johnson, J Tait and wife, G H Florence, W R Rowler, J M Coville, H Corsney, W Kelly, S W Trott, Miss Smith C Thompson, M H Greer, W R Sudy, Geo Wilton, Eugene Jepson, Miss Lang John Elliott, Mrs Trott, S F Kelly, D Brown and wife, F M Sullivan, J Hanna, M Hunt.

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Taking effect July 17, 1890.

Vancouver Route.
Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 8 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 14:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.
Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

Bute Inlet Route.
Steamer Rainbow leaves every Tuesday at 7 a.m., for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
Steamers leave on Standard Time.
JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO'Y
Dispatch a steamer
Every five days for San Francisco
Carrying Her Majesty's Mails.
FROM OUTER WHARF AT 11 A.M.
Umatilla - - - - - - Oct. 26th.
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FOR PORT ANGELES

The fast and commodious steamer
EVANGEL
Carrying U. S. mails, leaves Port Townsend every
MONDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY,
At 9 o'clock (Mondays and Thursdays through to Neah Bay) calling at New Dungeness, Port Angeles, Crescent Bay, Syle River, Twin River, Pysht, Clallam Bay and Neah Bay. Returning Tuesday through to Seattle, Saturday to Port Angeles and return.
THROUGH CONNECTIONS for Port Angeles made at Port Townsend with boats from Victoria on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
MORGAN & MANN, Owners.

THE OCEANIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY

CARRYING UNITED States, Hawaiian and Colonial mails, will leave the Company's wharf, foot Folsom street,
FOR HONOLULU
S.S. AUSTRALIA (3,000 tons) ..... FRIDAY, Nov. 7, 1890, 12 m.
For Honolulu, Auckland and Sydney, Without Change.
The Splendid New 3,000 ton Iron Steamer
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JOHN D. SPRECKELS & BROS. General Agents.
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RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 12.
To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday, October 11th, 1890.
Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	STATIONS.	Miles from Victoria.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	Miles from Wellington.
COING SOUTH. READ UP.				COING NORTH. READ DOWN.		
Ar. 12:34 p.m.	Ar. 5:50 p.m.	VICTORIA		Dep. 7:00 a.m.	Dep. 2:30 p.m.	
12:39	5:54	RUSSELLS	1	8:04	2:36	
12:50	6:19	ESQUIMALT	4	8:14	2:44	
11:45 a.m.	6:24	GOLDSTREAM	11	8:27	2:55	
10:50	6:34	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	18	8:37	4:06	
10:41	6:44	COBBLE HILL	21	8:44	4:14	
10:27	6:50	MCPHERSON'S	25	8:52	4:20	
10:17	7:00	KOKSILAH	31	9:02	4:30	
10:11	7:05	DUNCANS	35	9:07	4:35	
10:03	7:13	SOMENOS	40	9:14	4:43	
9:56	7:21	CHEMAINUS	49	9:24	4:51	
Dep. 8:30	Dep. 8:15	NANAIMO	72	Ar. 8:45	Ar. 6:30	
Ar. 8:25		WELLINGTON	78	Dep. 8:10		

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a single fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

Through rates between Victo a and Comox.

A. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, Genl Supt.
H. K. PRIOR, Gen. Freight and Passenger Agent.
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RAILWAYS.

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Tickets
ON SALE
—TO—
DENVER,
Omaha, Kansas City, Chicago,
ST. PAUL, ST. LOUIS,
AND ALL POINTS
East, North and South.
UNION PACIFIC
RAILWAY.

STEAMERS.

Tacoma-Victoria Route.

Leave Tacoma	†8:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	1:30 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	‡4:00 p.m.
Leave Victoria	*5:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	2:00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	‡4:15 p.m.

Port Townsend-Port Angeles Route.
Lv. Port Townsend 3 p. m. | Lv. Port Angeles 8 a. m.
Arrive Pt. Angeles 6 p.m. | Ar. Pt. Townsend 7 "

Tacoma-Seattle Route.
Leave Tacoma—†8:00 a.m.; 12:00 m.; *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*4:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *4:30 "
Boats leaving Tacoma 12:00 p.m., and Seattle at 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Dex Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle	‡4:30 p.m.	Leave Olympia	†7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma	7:30 p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 p.m.	Leave Tacoma	12:00 m.
Ar. Olympia	†11:00 p.m.	Arrive Seattle	†2:30 p.m.

†Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. *Daily.

Whatcom, Semiahmoo and Blaine Route.
Stopping at all way landings.
Steamer leaves Seattle daily, except Saturday, for Whatcom at 11 p.m. Arrives at Whatcom daily, except Sunday, at 3 p.m.
Leaves Whatcom for Seattle daily, except Saturday 8 p.m. Arrives at Seattle daily, except Sunday, 7 a.m.
Steamers from Semiahmoo and Blaine leave Whatcom every Saturday at 5 p.m. Returning, leave Blaine every Sunday at 10 a.m. for Whatcom and Seattle.

RAIL LINE.
"The Overland Flyer" leaves Portland at 9 p.m. daily, and carries through Pullman Sleepers, Colonist Sleepers, Free Chair Cars and Coaches between Portland and Denver, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, St. Paul or Chicago.
"The Limited Fast Mail" leaves Portland at 7 a.m. daily, and carries Pullman Dining and Sleeping Cars between Portland and Chicago.
MORRIS J. BISSELL, General Agent.
No. 100 Government street, Victoria.

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G. G. CHANDLER, General Agent, Headquarters Building, Tacoma, Wash.
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The Great Highway through California to all points East and South.
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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

THE STOWAWAY.

A Play That Has Triumphed on Both Sides of the Atlantic.

Next Wednesday will be signalized at the Victoria theatre by the first representation in this city of a play which in London and New York has created dramatic success, "The Stowaway." This play is accounted the most vividly realistic, complete and perfect drama of its class; a statement that is made manifest by the remarkable success of the work in England, and its pre-eminent popularity in the United States.

"The Stowaway" is said to abound with strong and ingeniously conceived situations, the dialogue is bright and epigrammatic and its climaxes are thrilling to an unusual degree. Pathos and humor are happily blended, and the comedy element stands out prominently. Scenically, the production is described as a masterpiece. One scene represents a London street by moonlight; another shows a full rigged yacht at sea, with a moving panorama in its wake, exhibiting the gradual fading away of the lands. The action of one entire act occurs on the deck of the yacht. A third scene illustrates the exterior of a lovely country residence. The story of the play is absorbingly interesting.

TRADE NOTES.

The Movement of Steamers and Freight—Large Traffic.

Business around the wholesale houses and along the wharves has been very brisk lately, there being a large amount of freight both inward and outward to handle. The orders along the E. & N. have been fairly good, but up country and mainland trade has been very brisk. The Danube, which goes north this evening, has a very large freight, and the Boscowitz will be loaded as usual to-morrow. The steamship City of Puebla arrived from the Sound at one o'clock this morning and loaded 13,000 cases of salmon for Australia, besides a small batch of miscellanous merchandise for San Francisco.

The C. P. N. Company's steamer R. P. Rithet left for Westminster and way ports to-day with 200 tons of general merchandise, and 1000 cases of salmon. The latter came down from Northern canneries by the Boscowitz, and are to be loaded into the bark Titania. The Rainbow also went up to the Fraser this morning with a large freight, and the Louise will take up another batch to-morrow morning.

The Islander this morning took a good load of general merchandise for Mainland cities, among it being a lot of supplies for the S. & O. Railway.

There was no boat from the Mainland last evening, on account of the accident to the Yosemite, consequently no Eastern freight.

The steamer Isabel was well patronized by shippers to the Islands and Comex this trip.

CONTEMPTIBLE CONDUCT.

Mr. Casselton Knocked Down by an Unknown Driver—Three Ribs Broken.

To the credit of Victoria, be it said, that the drivers are generally careful of the limbs and lives of pedestrians, for a charge of furious driving is a rare occurrence. Still instances will happen now and again which are likely to bring discredit upon the entire driving community. It was so last evening when some man(?), driving in a buggy along Wharf street, ran into R. Casselton, an employe of Thos. Earle, M. P., for the last twenty years.

About six o'clock last evening Mr. Casselton was crossing the street, when this buggy came along at high speed, and before he could escape it, the shaft struck him in the back, throwing him with terrible force a distance of fully ten feet. The blow broke three of his ribs, and in the fall he cut his face and head badly on the stones. It is feared that, owing to the injured man's extreme age, 60 years, the result will be very serious, though it is to be hoped not fatal.

Seemingly the only eye witnesses of the incident was a boy who sells the TIMES evenings; he says he is unable to identify the man who drove the buggy, but he says the horse was going at an unwarrantably fast rate.

The accident is bad enough in itself but the conduct of the driver is put down by several gentlemen as cowardly and contemptible. After performing this clever feat, which may result in the death of an aged man, he drove on without even looking back or stopping to render any assistance. The police have been actively engaged all day trying to prove his identity, and should they succed he will be prosecuted.

Mr. Casselton, so far, is not in any danger, although his condition is very critical.

It is Still There.

Some weeks ago the fire engine, John Grant, came to grief in a deep ditch at the corner of Chatham and Government streets. Several members of the board of aldermen at the time expressed themselves rather freely on the matter, and the existance of the ditch which is at any time a menace to vehicles, was believed to be a very limited one, but, alas, the hole is still there. To-day a reporter saw a grocer's wagon being driven along at a rapid pace on Government street. The driver turned his team into Chatham, and the wheel of the wagon just cleared by a few inches the yawning chasm. Some day a serious accident will occur and then the ditch may be filled up.

Important to Contractors.

City Treasurer Kent is after the contractors and sub-contractors who do not pay the $10 annual license provided for by by-law. The delinquents are given until the 31st inst. to call and settle, after which those who have declined to take notice of the warning will be proceeded against without regard to age, creed or social position. In reference to this license question, it might be in order to mention that those gentlemen who take sub-contracts are classed as contractors and are amenable to the license. If these contractors desire to save trouble and expense, they will call at the city hall and settle before the 31st of October.

FRESH EASTERN OYSTERS

In this, received to-day, and supplied. DIX H. ROSS.

Wellington Coal.

The old reliable coal and wood yard, office 42 Yates street, is now prepared to supply the market with the best New Wellington Coal.

HEATHORN & MCINTOSH.

Tacoma Politics.

The civic elections at Tacoma resulted in a complete Republican victory. Physician, police judge and eight councilmen were elected.

Wisdom's Violet Cream.

Is a new and elegant preparation for eradicating and preventing roughness of the face and hands. Use it freely at night just before retiring and you will be delighted with a soft, smooth skin. Try it. D. E. Campbell, agent. *

An Insane Suicide.

A patient at the Westminster insane asylum, named Thomas Brannigan, committed suicide by hanging himself with a window cord on Monday morning. Brannigan has been an inmate of the institution since 1888, and was afflicted with melancholy insanity.

More Power.

Two large dynamos of 500 volts each, from the Thomson-Houston Co., arrived over by the steamer Kingston last night for the Tramway Company. They will be put in position as soon as the engines are ready, and then half hour trips will be made to Esquimalt, and more power put into all the wires.

The Domestic Question.

The Ladies Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met yesterday at three o'clock in the vestry and considered the domestic servant question. The matter was given full consideration, and as there was believed to exist in this province a hopeful field of labor, it is probable that a further shipment of servants will be made from England shortly.

Conversazione.

The heavens were telling, or rather raining last night, and this fact had a great deal to do in diminishing the attendance at the conversazione given by the ladies of the Reformed Episcopal Church last evening. Notwithstanding the inclemency prevailing outside, a very pleasant time was spent in the cosy interior of the building. Mrs. and Miss Wilson, Miss Adams and other ladies and gentlemen contributed to the enjoyment of the evening.

The Jubilee Hospital.

The directors of the Jubilee Hospital have issued an appeal for funds which are actually necessary, and annual subscribers are asked to kindly pay their subscriptions to the secretary or place them to the credit of the institution at the Bank of B. C. This is the first direct appeal for help, and, as it is much needed in this instance, the directors confidently look forward to the call being generously responded to.

Keeping Up Her Old Speed.

The Seattle papers say that the steamer City of Kingston, since coming off the dry dock at Victoria, has developed an amazing speed, and one wholly unsuspected. When she was hauled up it was discovered that she had been running with broken blades on her wheel. After scraping and painting, her machinery was overhauled and repaired, and her wheel made whole. Since then she has made the trip from Tacoma to Seattle in an hour and a half, beating her own previous record and that of the Olympian. This trip was made Saturday, and on the previous day she outstripped the Olympian in a race from Seattle to Port Townsend.

Death's Harvest.

One by one Time thins the ranks of the first comers to Victoria; the last to cross the narrow line was Mr. D. Fasanaro, who first came to this place in 1862. He lived in this city till 1871, when he left to take up his residence in Nevada. After spending fifteen years of his life there, the feeling to return to Victoria became so strong that he obeyed the inclination, and came back. But it was his principal hope to end his days in sunny Italy, his native land, and on that account he was very unsettled here since his return.

Mr. Fasanaro, though he has been ailing for some weeks, only finally took to his bed Saturday, and this morning at three o'clock the last breath was drawn. Death was due, primarily, to paralysis.

A Unique Advertising Dodge.

A day or two ago a staid and sedate business man of this city received a missive with a United States postmark. The address on the envelope was written in a delicate female hand. On being opened a faded flower fell out. On a delicately scented sheet of note paper was written, in the same feminine hand, "Dear ——: Take back the flower thou gavest. All is over between us, as I have found out"—here the bottom of the page is reached, and the now thoroughly astonished business man turned the page, anxious to know the worst, when he was confronted with the announcement that the fair writer had found that a certain business house was the best place to get all kinds of boots, shoes, etc. As an advertisement it is unique, and as a startler to the nerves of a sober, and thoughtful business man the arrangement is a grand success.

From Liverpool.

The British bark Brodick Bay, Capt. Walkeham, arrived in the Royal Roads on Saturday evening 152 days from Liverpool with a general cargo consigned to R. P. Rithet & Co. The log books contain nothing of particular interest with the exception that three stowaways were found just as the main hatches were being battered down. The captain had a big enough crew so he landed them in Ireland, but if they had not been discovered just when they were they would very likely have been dead before now. The bark labored heavily coming around the Horn, the weather being very boisterous and snow falling heavily. She lost her main topmast staysail and the carpenter's door was smashed with the water she was shipping. She was three days coming up the straits before she met a tug. She crossed the equator 120 days out and was thus 32 days coming up. No accidents of any kind are reported.

Lamps in great variety at McLennan & McFeely's. *

Merchants Luncheon.
Bass's pale ale, Guinness's stout, Lager beer on tap at the Bank Exchange.

DAY AND MARTIN'S English BLACKING

ECLIPSE GLOSS
FOR LADIES' BOOTS.
Best in the World.
Chas. Gyde, Agent, Montreal
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THE CRY OF MILLIONS
OH, MY BACK!
STOP IT NOW,
SOON IT WILL BE TOO LATE.

I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Henley, with the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days, I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

G. A. TUPPER,
Proprietor Occidental Hotel, Santa Rosa, Cal.
D. E. CAMPBELL, AGENT,
NO. 66 FORT STREET. sep8-1yr

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COR. BROAD AND YATES STS.
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Bankrupt Stock
OF DRY GOODS
WHICH WE ARE
SLAUGHTERING!
WE HAVE RECEIVED A SPLENDID LINE OF
WOOL SHAWLS,
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THESE GOODS, THIS SEASON'S SAMPLES OF A
German Manufacturer,
HAVE BEEN SECURED AT A BIG REDUCTION AND WILL BE OFFERED ACCORDINGLY.
CALL EARLY for CHOICE
Some Pretty Things Among Them.

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GENERAL DRY GOODS,
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11 roomed house suitable for a boarding house.
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Lots in James Bay, Fernwood, Alfred, Henry, and Collinson streets.

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CITY LOTS, ACRE LOTS AND WATER FRONT LOTS
IN VICTORIA WEST, FOWL BAY AND WEST BAY,
And a Complete List of First-Class Properties to Suit Investors.

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SEASON'S GOODS
WATERPROOF COATS
We have to hand a well selected stock of these goods in shapes—Fife, Teck, Russian and Princess. Prices from $3.50 to $15.
—ALSO—
CHILDREN'S W. P. COATS
all sizes.
★ FUR-LINED CLOAKS
In Squirrel, Lock and other linings, from $14 to $100.
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We would call special attention to these goods. Exceptional value and LATEST STYLES.
JACKETS
In Cloth, Seal, Sealette, Plush and Beaver.
Prices from $3.50 to $250 ★
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QUININE WINE!
Booth's Genuine Quinine Wine is the best Tonic and Appetizer known.
Superior to all other preparations in such diseases as Fever and Ague, Intermittent and Bilious Fevers, Dyspepsia, Nervous Affections, Convalescence from Exhausting Diseases, and Functional Derangement of the Stomach.
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The Bandbox,
129 Douglas St., opposite City Hall,
New Fall Millinery. Stylish Dressmaking, good fit guaranteed. Stamping done to order.
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G. A. McTAVISH
HAS JUST RECEIVED
A CONSIGNMENT OF
EASTER LILY
AND
Roman Hyacinth
BULBS.
These should be planted now for winter blooming.
Store and Nursery, Park Road
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CHAS. HAYWARD,
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NIGHT CALLS, 167 Johnson Street.
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SPENCER'S ARCADE
Second Millinery Opening.
We are in receipt to-day of a very choice lot of
French Pattern Bonnets and Hats
THE VERY LATEST THINGS.
Black Birds, Colored Birds, Black Plumes, Colored Plumes, New Fancy Ribbons, New Galons, Black Velvet Ribbons.
Goods Will be Shown To-day.
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Oct 17

PENDRAY'S SOAPS.
ELECTRIC
20 BARS for $1.

BOURCHIER, CROFT & MALLETTE, REAL ESTATE BROKERS.

CONSCIENCE CASH.

Someone Who Sinned Ninety Cents Worth is Sorry For It.

A few months ago I wronged the [illegible] out of this [illegible]

The above, written in an evidently disguised hand, with no signature or date came in an envelope addressed to Collector of Customs Milne the other day. Enfolded in the letter was a one dollar bill, which the collector will hand over to the general revenue fund of the customs department. As the conscience-stricken sender of the money has enclosed a dollar, and as the original sin was only to the value of ninety cents, he, or she, has evidently obtained a credit balance of ten cents by the transaction.

This is the first case on record where conscience money has been returned to the Victoria customs house, and the officials hope that the good example set will be followed by returns from other sources. Of course the department officers haven't the remotest idea who the party is who has sent the cash in, but the rarity of the event is such as to cause considerable comment.

ENQUIRY MADE.

The Loss of the Schooner Mary Ellen is Now Being Investigated.

Readers of the TIMES will recollect that some weeks ago the sealing schooner Mary Ellen, Capt. Dan McLean, was reported to have gone ashore near the Shumagin Islands, after which she was sold to one O'Brien, by whom she was sold again to Capt. Jacobson of this city. Her original owner, Mr. Morris Moss, of this city, made a demand on the underwriters for the amount of her insurance, but the underwriters were not altogether satisfied and have asked that an investigation into the facts of the wreck be made, and in consequence Collector Milne, in accordance with sec. 4, chap. 81, 49 Victoria, has called witnesses before him for examination.

To-day one of the crew of the Mary Ellen was examined at the Collector's office, and the testimony will be, when all taken, forwarded to the Minister of Marine, who may, with the authority of the Governor-in-Council, appoint a commission to further enquire into the affair. Mr. A. L. Belyea is watching the case on behalf of the underwriters.

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

Rehearsal To-Night

The members of the Y. M. I. are requested to be at the Bishop's palace, Yates street, this evening, to rehearse "Robert Macaire," which is to be produced by them in aid of the Cathedral building fund. The members intend to practice hard, and as it is for a good cause, they should be encouraged in every way.

For San Francisco.

The steamer City of Puebla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following passengers from this port: Mrs. McClay, Miss V. Lean, R. McClay, J. Lean, W. S. Johnson and wife, Hy. Bechtel, Miss Murray, Jas. Davis and wife, Miss M. A. Turner, H. F. Striegel, R. T. Herman, E. E. Smith, Mrs. Pyatt, Mrs. E. Quayler.

Remanded until Thursday.

Sam Davis, a halfbreed, who was convicted to stand his trial in a higher court by the city police magistrate, for stealing six bottles of beer from Carter's brewery, came up in the speedy trials court this morning, but was remanded until Thursday, as two principal witnesses did not appear. The absent ones will be ordered to appear on Thursday, but if they do not, the police have got a case against the prisoner for having stolen property in his possession.

He Scared Them.

A large panther has of late been making raids in the vicinity of Shawnigan Lake, but its most daring adventure was made on the camp of Losee & Morrison, on Friday evening. The cook was cutting a slice of meat, and the ferocious animal jumped into the cabin, grabbed the meat, and made for the nearest tree. One of the sawmill hands ran after him with a gun, but just as he was going to shoot, the beast leaped from the tree and sent the man sprawling on the ground. A few scared men was the only damage.

Indians Bound North.

A motley throng was gathered at Spratt's wharf to-day, prior to the departure of the steamer Danube for the North. Indians of all ages and both sexes, and clothed in varied styles, swarmed in the freight shed, waiting to go aboard the steamer to go north to their homes. About 300 siwashes were in the throng. Little papooses, rolled in shawls and fastened to their mothers' backs, peeped out with beady black eyes at the crowd. Young Indian women, decked out in gaudily colored dresses, stolidly chewed gum while waiting for their turn to go aboard the boat. Old and young men sat around on heaps of iktas, engaged in animated conversations respecting the past season at the hop fields, where the crowd had been picking the aromatic flower which is grown so abundantly in the valley of the Pullayup. The Indians have made a good deal of money, and having purchased stores and supplies for the winter, now go north to enjoy the fruits of their toil.

Powder Works.

The steamer Montserrat landed the first cargo of nitrate of soda for the Hamilton Powder Works at Nanaimo yesterday, and it was conveyed to the works as fast as possible. Mr. W. J. Young, manager of the works, states it is the intention of the company to manufacture the higher explosives, and for that purpose four more brick buildings will be erected. The manufacture of the ordinary powder will be commenced within the next two weeks. A large consignment of brimstone is also daily expected from Japan, and will probably be on the Chinese steamship due at Vancouver from China and Japan.

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day, 52 deg.

Keep Clean.

For a first-class shave or hair-cut go to George Russell's, 48 Yates street.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Buy your cork soled boots at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

A Cure for Toothache.

Ask your druggist for Gibbons' Toothache Gum, prepared by J. A. Gibbons & Co., Toronto. Price 15 cents. oc9 eod 6m

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The Rock Bay Coal and Wood Yard guarantee to give 2000 lbs. to the ton. Telephone No. 556.

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Are You Hungry?

If so, remember that Steitz's restaurant, 54 Yates street, has all the delicacies of the season. Our first importation of Eastern Oysters. Open all night.

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A beautiful line of Razors, Strops and Shaving Materials can be seen at Fox's 78 Government street. Call and see the fine assortment of Pocket Knives and Scissors.

Novels Given Away.

To introduce my fine cream candies, I will give a novel, by a popular author with each pound purchased. Biggar's Boston Candy factory. Next door to the Delmonico. oct1-1m

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Do not throw away your rubber boots, shoes, coats or gossamers, because they are torn or have a few holes worn in them. Remember they can be made as good as new by Geo. A. Shade, shoemaker, 28 Broad street, opposite Trounce Avenue. oct1-1m

A Letter that Speaks for Itself.

J. Myers, Esq., Victoria.

DEAR SIR:—To hasten the clearing out of my boot and shoe stock, at 74 Yates street, make a further reduction in the prices, and oblige yours resp.,

Nanaimo, Oct. 13. R. HILBERT.

North Pacific Industrial Exposition.

The N.P.R.R., in connection with the steamer City of Kingston, is now making a special round-trip rate of $12.50—Victoria to Portland and return—for the exposition. Tickets on sale at 82 Government street, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, good seven days from date of sale.

Uncalled-for Meanness.

Some evil disposed person threw a large stone through the window of G. W. Biggar's Boston Candy store last night, smashing a large pane of glass and striking a valuable oil painting (Angeline), happily not materially injuring it. There have been several of these petty acts of meanness about Mr. Biggar's place of late, and the perpetrators had better be careful in the future, for G. W. has blood in his eye.

Again Remanded.

R. O. Lewis, on remand from yesterday, charged with stealing $106 from the second engineer of the steamer Rainbow, appeared again this morning in the police court. R. Borthwick on being called swore that the prisoner had left $150 with him on Thursday, the day the robbery was committed, and the prosecutor recognized one of the bills as the one that he lost. The case was further remanded until to-morrow morning.

Government Sale of Land.

The plan of the Government lots in Esquimalt district, to be sold on the 29th, shows that there are 14 lots out of the 37 which are to be sold that have no road or means of getting to them without trespassing on some one else. The Lands and Works Department is at present under the management of the Hon. John Robson, which may account for the blunder. Who do they expect will buy these lots? Only one who is in cahoots with them may expect to get a road gazetted or made.

Will Increase the Fine.

Of late there have been several women appeared in the police court, principally half-breeds, to answer to the charge of drunk and disorderly, and so his honor, the police magistrate, has given notice that hereafter female drunks will be fined $10, as in his opinion a drunken women is very likely to get men into trouble. The principal cause of his honor's remarks to-day was the appearance in court of a woman named Mrs. Davis, who has for a long while made the neighborhood of View street, between Douglas and Blanchard, almost unbearable. The police have been lenient toward her generally on account of her little children, but when she began disturbing her neighbors at 4 o'clock this morning their patience left them and she was accordingly fined $5 in the police court, along with a warning not to appear again. A white drunk was also fined $5 and two or three Johnson street sewer cases were disposed of.

What is Featherbone?

Featherbone is an article used for cording corsets, and is made from the quills (or bone) of feathers, hence the name. The process consists of first stripping the feathers from the quill, after which it goes through various processes until it has been converted into a fine fibre; this is again made into a cord, several strands of it being wound together with thread. Any person conservant with the toughness and durability of a quill, will readily see what a superior article "Featherbone" must be over cord, sisal, or other inferior materials used in the manufacture of corsets. All the better grades of Featherbone corsets are entirely without side steels, flat "Featherbone" being used instead, making a very comfortable and stylish corset, with nothing to break, rust, or injure the wearer. These corsets are made only by the Canada Featherbone Co., of London, who own and control all the patents for Canada, but can be had from all reputable retail dry goods houses in the Dominion.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

John W. Hannan, of Tacoma, is at the Driard.

[illegible] to Ottawa to-morrow [illegible]

Mrs. J. E. Sanford wife of Senator Sanford of Hamilton, Ontario, is, with her son, E. J. Sanford, a guest at the Driard.

Collector Milne's many friends will be pleased to learn that he has recovered from his illness sufficiently to be again at his post of duty.

E. McNeil, General Manager, and E. Cookingham Assistant General Manager of the Union Pacific, are in Seattle and will be over to-night.

Gen. Benj. F. Butler, the famous statesman and lawyer, in company with the Hon. James Gillilan, ex-treasurer of the United States; Hon. Robert Goddard, of New York city; Hon. Albion Little, ex-mayor of Portland, Me.; Colonel Reynolds, of Providence, R. I.; I. I. Doane, private secretary to Governor Butler, and others are to come to Puget Sound cities and Victoria soon.

Nasty Night for a Ball.

Are you going to the ball at Government House to-night? If you are be very careful this rainy, stormy evening, or you will contract one of those severe, lasting colds, which are noted for their staying qualities. If you are so unfortunate as to take a cold, go at once to Cockrane & Munn's drug store, and try Begg's cherry cough syrup be the cold becomes chronic.

Mining News.

Mining experts note that cholera never attacks the bowels of the earth, but humanity in general find it necessary to use Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for bowel complaints, dysentery, diarrhœa, etc. It is a sure cure.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

BIRTH.

DUCK—In this city, on the 20th instant, the wife of Wm. Duck, of a son.

DIED.

FASANARO—In this city, on the 21st instant, of paralysis, Dominico Fasanaro, a native of Prosodia, Italy, aged 63 years.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, at 9:15 a.m., from his late residence, 147 Yates street and at 9:30 from St. Andrew's pro-Cathedral, View street. Friends are invited to attend.

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WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT AT the next meeting of the Bench of Licensing Magistrates of the City of Victoria, we will apply for a transfer of the license to sell wines and liquors by retail on the premises known as the Brown Jug Saloon and situate at the corner of Fort and Government streets, in said City of Victoria, held by Mrs. A. C. Cowes, to the undersigned.

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